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CANADA'S FOREIGN TRADE, CALENDAR YEAR, 1938

The expansion in Canada's external trade during the years 1934 to 1937 was interrupted in 1938. Total trade, imports and exports combined, in 1938 amounted to \$1,634,000,000, compared with \$1,934,000,000 in 1937. Imports suffered a decline of 16·3 per cent to \$677,451,000 and total exports dropped 15 per cent to \$956,726,000.

The declines were the result of lower prices and smaller volume. Exports were affected more seriously than imports by the price factor while the decline in volume was greater for imports. The balance of trade was somewhat less favourable in 1938 than in 1937. However, if prices of imports and exports had remained at the 1937 levels there would have been an increase in the favourable balance of trade. The following table summarizes the principal facts of Canada's trade in the calendar years 1916 to 1938.

CANADA'S IMPORTS, EXPORTS, TOTAL TRADE, AND DUTY COLLECTED, 1916 TO 1938.

(Merchandise)

Calendar Years	Total Imports	Total Exports	Total Trade	Excess Exports (+) Excess Imports (-)	Duty Collected
1916 1917 1918 1919 1920 1921 1922 1923 1924 1925 1926 1927 1928 1929 1930 1931 1932 1933	767,377 1,006,031 910,149 941,014 1,336,921 799,478 762,409 903,031 808,145 890,193 1,008,342 1,087,118 1,222,318 1,298,993 1,008,480 628,098 452,614 401,214 513,470	(In Th 1,112,445 1,593,496 1,243,730 1,294,830 1,302,805 816,694 898,178 1,028,529 1,070,612 1,283,099 1,289,152 1,241,943 1,380,929 1,210,752 905,460 629,036 554,240 602,629 765,661	ousands of Dol 1,879,822 2,599,527 2,153,879 2,235,844 2,639,726 1,616,172 1,660,587 1,931,560 1,878,757 2,173,292 2,297,494 2,329,061 2,603,247 2,509,745 1,913,940 1,257,134 1,006,843 1,003,843 1,279,131		139,002 167,041 154,849 168,921 203,029 117,693 132,172 136,065 123,163 137,858 155,166 168,303 192,266 206,950 161,395 120,250 86,573 69,676 83,891
1935 1936 1937 1938	550,315 635,191 808,896 677,451	838,343 1,027,902 1,124,960 956,726	1,388,658 1,663,093 1,933,856 1,634,177	(+) 288,028 (+) 392,711 (+) 316,064 (+) 279,275	84,217 87,775 104,808 92,297

Note.—It is pointed out with reference to the statistics in the above table, and particularly regarding Canada's imports in 1935, 1936, 1937 and 1938 throughout this review, that the excise duty, which has been included in the value of distilled spirits, chiefly whiskey, imported into Canada from countries entitled to the British Preferential Tariff since the fiscal year 1921 is excluded as from April 1, 1935. Imports in 1935, 1936, 1937 and 1938, particularly from United Kingdom are consequently lower than would otherwise be the case.

Revenue collected on imports declined from \$104,808,000 in 1937, the highest amount in any previous year since 1931, to \$92,297,000 in 1938. Expressed as a percentage of the value of imports, however, duty collected was slightly higher than in the previous year. The average rate of duty on all imports was $24 \cdot 3$ per cent in 1938 as compared with $24 \cdot 0$ per cent in 1937 and $30 \cdot 0$ per cent in 1932. Since 1926 there had been a tendency for free imports to increase relatively to dutiable imports—free imports accounting for $46 \cdot 1$ per cent of the total in 1937 as compared with $36 \cdot 3$ per cent in 1926. This trend was interrupted in 1938 when free imports declined more than dutiable imports and accounted for $44 \cdot 1$ per cent of the total.

PERCENTAGE OF FREE IMPORTS AND AVERAGE AD VALOREM RATE OF DUTY COLLECTED ON IMPORTS.

(Calendar Years, 1926–1938)

Calendar Years	Per cent of Free Imports	Average on All Imports	Ad valorem Rate of Duty on Dutiable Imports	Calendar Years	Per cent of Free Imports	Average on All Imports	Ad valorem Rate of Duty on Dutiable Imports
1926 1927 1928 1929 1930 1931 1931	% 36·3 36·0 35·5 34·6 35·8 33·7 36·3	% 15·4 15·5 15·7 15·9 16·0 19·1 19·1		1933 1934 1935 1936 1937 1938	% 41·4 42·4 44·2 44·8 46·1 44·1	% 17·4 16·3 15·3 13·8 12·9 13·6	$\%$ $29 \cdot 6$ $28 \cdot 4$ $27 \cdot 4$ $25 \cdot 0$ $24 \cdot 0$ $24 \cdot 3$

World Trade, 1938-

The continued rise which world trade had shown throughout the years 1935 to 1937 was replaced in 1938 by a definite decline. While the total for the year remained above 1935 it was considerably below 1937. The figures of practically every country reflect the fall. According to a calculation of the League of Nations the gold value of the international trade of 76 countries, which had risen to 47.5 per cent of its 1929 level by 1937, fell back to 45.5 per cent in 1938; in volume the decline was greater for the index in terms of 1929 which had stood at 97.0 in 1937 was down to 88.5 in 1938.

Though the year 1938 was below 1937 on the whole, yet at its end a considerable upswing was in progress and substantial advance had been made from the low level of trade of the middle of the year. The main feature of the first six months was a decline in United States purchases. Over the full year United States imports were down 34.8 per cent from 1937. Exports from the United States were affected to smaller degree, declining by 6.8 per cent so that its favourable balance increased, amounting to \$1,107,000,000, the highest in seventeen years.

IMPORTS AND DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF TWENTY-FOUR COUNTRIES, WITH PERCENTAGE INCREASE OR DECREASE.

(1938 Compared with 1937)

Countries	Impo	rts	Domestic	Exports	Percentage of Increase (+) or Decrease (-) 1938 compared with 1937	
	1937	1938	1937	1938	Imports	Exports
	(In N	Millions of Ca	nadian Dolla	rs)	%	%
Argentina Australia Belgium Brazil (10 months ended Oct. 31) British India Canada China Denmark Finland France Germany (including Austria) Hungary Ireland (Eire) Italy Japan Netherlands New Zealand Norway Poland and Danzig Sweden Switzerland Union of South Africa United Kingdom United States	482 496 923 267 595 809 279 369 203 1,601 2,476 141 216 733 1,073 853 221 317 238 538 414 493 5,081 3,008	446 519 776 247 554 677 189 360 187 1,334 2,473 125 201 589 763 783 216 291 249 523 370 452 4,525 1,960	757 581 861 301 755 1,110 245 346 205 955 2,611 174 110 549 899 632 262 201 229 508 295 600 2,578 3,298	441 522 734 251 598 913 155 340 182 881 2,294 156 118 550 768 574 229 191 227 465 303 479 2,315 3,074	- 7·5 + 4·6 -15·9 - 7·5 - 6·9 -16·3 -32·3 - 2·4 - 7·9 -16·7 - 0·1 -11·3 - 6·9 -18·2 - 2·3 - 8·2 - 2·3 - 8·2 - 10·6 - 8·3 -10·9 -34·8	-4110141620173611171210. +7. + 014912508. +220106.

The statistics in the above table indicate the generality of the downward movement in world trade in 1938 as compared with 1937. Of the twenty-four countries, only two, Australia and Poland, increased imports and but three, Ireland, Italy, and Switzerland, increased exports. The declines in Canada's trade were slightly above the average of the twenty-four countries in both imports and exports. The figures for Germany include the trade between Austria and Germany in 1937 but not in 1938.

Canada's Position in World Trade-

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It will be seen from statistics in the following table that Canada maintained its rank among the nations as the world's fourth largest exporting country and eighth in respect to imports. In total trade Canada moved up to fifth position, displacing Japan.

TRADE OF LEADING COMMERCIAL COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD IN CANADIAN CURRENCY.

(Calendar Year, 1938)

		Total	Trada	Imports			Domestic Exports		
Countries	Rank						Rank		Amount
	1937	1938	Million \$	1937	1938	Million \$	1937	1938	Million \$
United Kingdom United States Germany (including Austria) France Canada apan Belgium Netherlands British India taly Australia	1 2 3 4 6 5 7 8 9 11 13	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	6,840 5,034 4,767 2,215 1,590 1,531 1,510 1,357 1,152 1,139 1,041 988	1 2 3 4 8 5 6 7 10 9 12 11	1 3 2 4 8 7 6 5 10 9 12	4,525 1,960 2,473 1,334 677 763 776 783 554 589 519 523	2 1 3 5 4 6 7 10 9 15 12 14	2 1 3 5 4 6 7 9 8 10 11	2,315 3,074 2,294 881 913 768 734 574 598 550 522 465

Comparison of Value and Volume of Canada's Trade, 1937 and 1938-

It is important to bear in mind in comparing trade over different periods that changes in value are not necessarily a measure of changes in the quantity or volume of merchandise involved. Changes in the values of imports and exports over a period may be caused either by variations in quantity, by fluctuations in prices or by a combination of those factors. A preliminary compilation has been made comparing the value and volume of Canada's trade for the calendar year 1938 with that of 1937. The results are set forth in the following table. The declared values, by main groups, are shown for 1937 and 1938 together with the values obtained by re-valuing the quantities of 1938 at the average unit prices prevailing in 1937. In this way the element of price fluctuations is eliminated and a comparison of the volume of trade in the two years is presented.

The declared value of total imports amounted to \$677,451,000 in 1938, as compared with \$808,896,000 in the previous year. If there had been no fall in prices, imports in 1938 would have amounted to \$696,015,000. The decline of \$131,445,000, or $16 \cdot 3$ per cent, in the declared value of imports was due both to lower prices and to smaller physical volume. The latter declined by 14 per cent, while the former registered a fall of about $2 \cdot 7$ per cent.

It will be noted that, except for the small gain in the value of imports of "Miscellaneous Commodities", all main groups of imports declined in 1938 as compared with 1937 both in declared value and on the basis of the revaluation. A study of the table below indicates that "Agricultural and Vegetable Products", "Animal Products", and "Textiles" were more influenced by lower prices than the other main groups, while the three mineral products groups and "Miscellaneous Products" suffered greater declines in volume.

Exports also declined in value and volume. Total domestic exports in 1938 were declared at \$913,436,000, compared with \$1,110,192,000 in 1937. If there had been no fall in prices the decline would have been less by nearly half, the value arrived at on the basis of the revaluation being \$1,009,051,000. As with imports, the $17 \cdot 2$ per cent decline in the value of exports as recorded was the result of both smaller volume, which declined $9 \cdot 1$ per cent, and lower prices, which dropped $9 \cdot 5$ per cent.

The decline in exports was less general than that in imports. "Agricultural and Vegetable Products" and "Textile Products" registered increases in quantity while "Miscellaneous Commodities" increased in both value and quantity. "Agricultural and Vegetable Products" was more seriously affected by price declines than any other of the main groups of exports. The decline in prices was, however, partly offset by increased quantity in that group and in the "Textiles" group. The "Iron" and "Non-Ferrous Metals" groups were favoured by higher prices in 1938 than in 1937, but the increases were not sufficient to overcome the declines in volume.

It may also be noted that the "Barter Terms of Trade" were less favourable to Canada in 1938 than in the previous year. This resulted from the fact that the average unit values or prices of exports declined more than unit values of imports. Export average values declined from 100 in 1937 to 97·3 in 1938, while the export price level dropped from 100 to 90·5. Expressed differently, this means that assuming it took 100 units of exports to pay for 100 units of imports in 1937, the same 100 units of exports could command only 93 units of imports in 1938.

COMPARISON OF VALUE AND VOLUME OF CANADA'S TRADE.

(1938 Compared with 1937)

				-		
Main Groups	Calenda	ar Years	Quantities 1938 Valued at 1937	% Increase (+) % Decrease (-) 1938 compared with 1937		
And Groups	Declared Value 1937	Declared Value 1938	Price (Volume)	Value .	Volume	
Imports	(The	ousands of Do	llars)	%	%	
Agricultural and Vegetable Products Animals and Animal Products Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products Wood, Wood Products and Paper Iron and Its Products Non-Ferrous Metal Products Non-Metallic Mineral Products Chemicals and Allied Products Miscellaneous Commodities Total Imports	33,999 211,003 47,017 136,473 37,414 48,042	125,121 25,227 87,443 32,143 162,554 38,396 121,721 35,206 49,640 677,451	141,563 29,904 100,624 32,587 165,190 38,887 119,745 35,758 31,757 696,015	- 15·5 - 20·0 - 24·1 - 5·5 - 23·0 - 18·3 - 10·8 - 5·9 + 3·3 - 16·3	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
Agricultural and Vegetable Products. Animals and Animal Products. Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products. Wood, Wood Products and Paper. Iron and Its Products. Non-Ferrous Metal Products. Non-Metallic Mineral Products. Chemicals and Allied Products. Miscellaneous Commodities. Total Exports.	244,583 144,532 14,401 262,968 66,027 307,702 30,896 21,667 17,416	190, 897 118, 136 13, 055 211, 613 60, 139 255, 516 25, 013 19, 496 19, 571	266,755 120,677 15,501 198,621 57,238 288,905 22,526 18,991 19,837	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	

Principal Imports into Canada, 1938—

A complete record by items of imports into Canada is not shown in the present report but fuller details respecting the Calendar years 1937 and 1938 may be found in a report entitled "Trade of Canada, Calendar Year, 1938" which is obtainable from the King's Printer, Ottawa, price 50 cents.

IMPORTS INTO CANADA BY MAIN GROUPS.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Main Groups		s from untries	Import United I		Imports from United States	
	1937	1938	1937	1938	1937	1938
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Agricultural and Vegetable Products	148, 146, 749 31, 528, 395 115, 273, 202 33, 999, 087 211, 002, 837 47, 016, 907 136, 473, 376 37, 413, 987 48, 041, 785	87,443,217 $32,143,098$ $162,554,216$ $38,395,767$ $121,721,363$ $35,205,579$	$\begin{array}{c} 6,115,189 \\ 52,642,628 \\ 4,052,274 \\ 29,794,323 \\ 7,301,579 \\ 13,299,830 \\ 7,857,577 \end{array}$	40,094,905 3,576,100 21,646,236 5,807,707 13,044,704	$12,557,770 \\ 39,050,348 \\ 27,469,552 \\ 173,864,866 \\ 31,141,637 \\ 104,650,924 \\ 22,520,157$	46,963,227 10,795,308 30,168,324 26,404,809 134,844,204 24,364,956 91,922,690 22,333,431 36,957,869
TOTAL IMPORTS	808,896,325	677,451,354	147, 291, 551	119,268,179	490,504,978	424,754.818

CANADA'S IMPORTS OF FORTY LEADING COMMODITIES.

(Calendar Years, 1929, 1937 and 1938)

	Total Imports—Calendar Years							
Commodities	192	9	193	7	193	8		
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value		
Crude petroleum	1,161,621,526	\$ 49,944,822		\$ 46,701,769		\$ 41,100,864		
CoalTon	18,204,163	69,557,236 56,013,268	14,670,599	38, 158, 618	13,012,491	36,916,119 $35,825,914$		
Rolling mill products				32,774,909		25,470,444 $24,694,191$		
Wool, except raw		$\begin{array}{c} 45,302,431 \\ 34,069,957 \end{array}$		25,512,728		21,027,797 20,947,683		
Sugar and products. Farm implements.		31,845,326		17,233,658		20,580,607 20,319,626		
Grain and products Cotton, except raw		26,081,336 34,898,234		20,702,404		17,273,789 16,662,331		
Books and printed matter Electrical apparatus		18,133,242 36,839,533		15,506,144		15,277,098 13,053,526		
Raw cotton Lb. Automobiles No.	$136, 296, 702 \\ 44, 724$	26,583,622 39,423,134	20,069	19,912,756 16,184,960	15, 154	12,872,808 $12,720,197$		
Petroleum, refined Gal. Vegetable oils Gal.	197,283.391 27,502,395	$\begin{bmatrix} 25,790,004 \\ 12,866,001 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 116,849,290 \\ 25,140,614 \end{bmatrix}$	$10, 106, 210 \\ 16, 475, 853$	19,728,405	12,063,240 $11,869,525$		
Rubber and products	38,676,724	22,709,747 $11,131,285$		$19,478,956 \\ 10,013,430$	37,591,064	11,289,825 9,579,902		
Flax, hemp and jute Engines and boilers		15,291,430 17,774,349		10,501,487 11,093,446		8,542,578 7,788,970		
Clay and products. Paper.		12,159,566 $14,739,472$		9,108,976 7,981,545		7,660,003 $7,520,328$		
Alcoholic beverages		$\begin{array}{c} 46,613,751 \\ 9,059,918 \end{array}$		8,049,715 8,433,129		6,970,047 $6,879,791$		
Glass and glasswareVegetables		$10,569,457 \\ 10,755,949$		6,224,471		6,670,261 6,051,048		
Furs		14,761,147 $16,537,473$		6,523,151		5,650,624 5,050,154		
Leather and manufactures		11,748,983 $6,037,294$		6,035,385 6,579,401		4,963,785 4,899,254		
Dyeing and tanning materialsLb. Raw silkLb.	1,074,400	3,647,526 $8,011,918$		5,702,396 4,831,824	2,507,683	4,313,078 4,305,859		
Wood, manufactured	12,080,070	$ \begin{array}{c} 13,410,064 \\ 5,126,915 \end{array} $	24,426,661	5,005,294 8,585,242	15,524,409	4,295,518 $4,156,674$		
Coffee Lb. Paints and varnishes Lb.	28,898,555	$6,883,316 \\ 6,219,302$				3,931,552 3,774,148		
Nuts, edible						3,489,399 3,378,948		
Hides and skins, rawCwt.	449,628	8,449,873		6,329,054		2,935,975		
Total above Commodities						492,773,480		
Total Imports		1,298,992,692		808,896,325		677, 451, 354		

Imports for Canadian Industry—

Canada, like other manufacturing countries, is dependent on imports in large measure for her supply of certain raw materials, viz.: Raw rubber, raw cotton, raw silk, sisal fibre, iron ore, bauxite, sulphur, manganese oxide, etc. The table on the following page shows the imports into 74946—3

Canada of 65 commodities for Canadian industry. The list is not exhaustive but it represents, none the less, 33·5 per cent of the total imports in 1938, or \$227,000,000. The decline as compared with 1937 was \$77,000,000 or 33·9 per cent. The figures have been aggregated according to the amount of industrial processing the items have already undergone, and it will be noted that \$116,000,000 of the \$227,000,000 was raw materials.

IMPORTS OF SIXTY-FIVE LEADING COMMODITIES FOR CANADIAN INDUSTRIES

(Year ended December 31, 1938)

	(Tear ended December 31, 1933)									
	Commeditor	Total Imp	ports, 1938	lncrease (+) 1 1938 compare						
No.	Commodity	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value					
1 2 3 4 5 6 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21	Crude petroleum Automobile parts Sugar for refining Bituminous coal Raw cotton Lb Tin plate Cvt. Raw rubber Lb Worsted tops Lb Dyeing and tanning materials Lb Raw wool Lb Diamond dust or bort Crude peanut oil Cil, for the soap industry Raw furs Raw furs Raw coffee Lb Lumber, rough sawn Ft Raw hides Alumina, bauxite or cryolite Lvt Ly Cvt Ly Cvt Skelp iron for pipe Cvt Ly Lo Cvt Lo Cvt Lo Cvt Lo Cvt	9,575,432 9,131,267 134,760,525 1,559,765 57,576,293 9,978,648 28,824,543 2,507,683 15,524,409	24,694,191 17,561,575 16,929,704 12,872,808 8,814,992 8,151,070 5,000,680 4,313,078 4,305,859 4,156,674 3,950,698 3,902,730 3,875,341 3,743,548 3,568,144 3,256,051 2,935,975 2,919,632 2,885,963	$ \begin{array}{llll} (+) & 253,758 \\ (-) & 1,698,594 \\ (-) & 23,431,488 \\ (-) & 776,257 \\ (-) & 23,432,373 \\ (-) & 1,181,301 \\ (-) & 15,674,486 \\ (+) & 61,812 \\ (-) & 8,902,252 \\ \hline \\ (+) & 26,639,400 \\ (-) & 1,041,221 \\ \hline \\ (+) & 4,745,260 \\ (-) & 39,565,000 \\ (-) & 15,258,400 \\ (+) & 1,275,505 \\ (-) & 564,353 \\ \end{array} $	(-) 8,080,718 (+) 282,786 (-) 3,185,346 (-) 7,639,948 (-) 4,884,450 (-) 7,531,711 (-) 1,915,853 (-) 525,965 (-) 4,428,568 (-) 679,339 (-) 228,124 (-) 2,026,416 (-) 246,020 (-) 1,475,376 (-) 3,393,079 (-) 3,393,079 (-) 1,478,150 (-) 1,422,172					
22 23 24 25 26 27 28 30 31 32 33 33 34 44 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 51 55 55 55 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66	Indian corn for the manufacture of starch or cereals. Leather, unmanufactured. Compounds of tetraethyl lead. Cotton yarn. Lb Woollen yarn Lb Woollen yarn Lb Automobile engines In in blocks. Lb Automobile engines In on and steel for agricultural implements Manila, sisal, istle, etc. Lb Raw tobacco. Lb Sulphur Lb Gums and resins Lb Dress goods, wool, to be dyed. Lb Raw cocoa. Lb Articles for manufacture of fertilizers Artificial silk yarn. Lb Sausage casings Ores of metals, n.o.p. Cwt Diamonds, unset Furs partly dressed Celluloid in lumps Hatters' materials. Scrap iron and steel Cryles, ingots and blooms, iron Cwt Rubber, hard, recovered, etc. Lb Sulphate of alumina Lb Coxide of manganese Lb Logs Ft Veneers of wood Boiler plate Bristles. Lb Sand, silica Cwt Axles for vehicles Broom corn Copper bars and rods Cwt Rubphate of soda. Lb Sulphate of soda. Lb Sulphate of soda. Lb Lb Sulphate of soda.	2,561,155 946,737 100,000 108,181 282,141 14,904,190 59,141,900 115,034 6,771,600 42,100,000 24,584,000 11,697,800 201,709 3,441,451 81,778 13,171 976,310 1,712,500 11,572,628 1,953,500	2, 612, 239 2, 485, 032 2, 441, 789 2, 353, 647 2, 205, 449 2, 123, 195 2, 037, 621 1, 944, 063 1, 809, 002 1, 471, 741 1, 404, 177 1, 291, 303 1, 279, 066 1, 194, 484 1, 161, 757 1, 152, 901 1, 937, 165 980, 311 946, 826 912, 390 866, 196 856, 755 774, 399 718, 835 667, 970 638, 162 574, 768 531, 298 467, 114 463, 673 405, 102 397, 526 365, 952 365, 952 365, 952 367, 371 338, 832 337, 841 249, 441 186, 170 179, 104 121, 719 100, 736 61, 122 43, 574	(+) 967,851 (-) 989,218 (-) 920,950 (-) 604,600 (-) 47,649 (-) 1,889,401 (-) 263,974,500 (-) 10,055,637 (-) 293,223 (-) 932,800 (+) 539,011 (+) 269,159 (-) 121,352 (-) 13,807,500 (-) 4,677,382 (-) 13,807,500 (-) 121,352 (-) 36,508 (-) 269,000 (-) 112,352,900 (-) 117,070,000 (-) 4,974,800 (-) 117,070,000 (-) 4,682,900 (-) 117,222 (-) 815,352 (-) 51,333 (-) 51,333 (-) 213,954 (+) 283,700 (-) 16,661,650	(-) 1,048,891 (+) 452,699 (-) 830,368 (-) 1,073,999 (-) 910,194 (-) 2,937,611 (-) 580,636 (-) 729,566 (-) 2,197,341 (-) 909,117 (-) 363,306 (-) 1,140,577 (-) 569,906 (-) 154,950 (-) 26,135 (-) 248,750 (-) 272,190 (-) 462,710 (-) 1,269,588 (-) 618,136 (-) 389,397 (-) 282,856 (-) 108,655 (-) 108,655 (-) 108,655 (-) 108,655 (-) 108,655 (-) 282,856 (-) 108,655 (-) 108,655 (-) 282,856 (-) 108,655 (-) 282,856 (-) 108,655 (-) 282,856 (-) 108,655 (-) 389,397 (-) 282,856 (-) 108,655 (-) 389,397 (-) 282,856 (-) 107,431 (-) 338,596 (-) 172,706 (-) 172					
	Recapitulation according to— Raw materials. Semi-manufactured. Fully manufactured.		49,037,872		(-) 12,696,604					

Principal Exports from Canada, 1938—

A complete record by items of domestic exports from Canada is not shown in the present report but fuller details respecting the Calendar Years 1937 and 1938 may be found in the report "Trade of Canada, Calendar Year, 1938" which is obtainable from the King's Printer, Ottawa, price 50 cents. The following table shows domestic exports by main groups.

DOMESTIC EXPORTS FROM CANADA BY MAIN GROUPS. (Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Main Groups	Expor All Cou			oorts to l Kingdom	Exports to United States		
	1937	1938	1937	1938	1937	1938	
Agricultural and Vegetable Products Animals and Animal Products Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products Wood, Wood Products and Paper Iron and Its Products Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products Chemicals and Allied Products Miscellaneous Commodities Total Exports	\$ 244,583,151 144,532,334 14,400,522 262,967,688 66,027,238 307,701,616 30,896,016 21,666,897 17,416,689 1,110,192,151	118, 135, 506 13, 054, 660 211, 612, 958 6C, 139, 369 255, 516, 252 25, 013, 087 19, 495, 986 19, 571, 271	79, 734, 849 3, 418, 299 44, 327, 579 14, 914, 879 103, 857, 798 3, 276, 123 5, 248, 845 3, 663, 000	73, 175, 748 3, 425, 276 38, 486, 412 13, 517, 445 91, 475, 027 3, 090, 439 5, 031, 528 4, 228, 304	48,778,884 2,678,174 179,541,762 6,954,215 154,898,962 19,393,344	30,351,002 1,731,126 140,293,241 4,148,832 109,374,987 11,931,421 7,844,059 9,258,978	

CANADA'S DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF FORTY LEADING COMMODITIES. (Calendar Years, 1929, 1937 and 1938)

	Total Domestic Exports—Calendar Years							
Commodities		1929		1937	1	938		
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value		
		\$		\$		\$		
Newsprint paper . Cwt. Wheat . Bush. Gold-bullion, non-monetary . Oz. Nickel . Cwt. Copper bars, rods, etc . Cwt. Meats	11,609,834 1,464,967	148, 865, 648 249, 347, 174 2, 413, 531 25, 535, 684 35, 900 15, 773, 743 49, 353, 512 43, 367, 984 34, 963, 303 13, 210, 023 44, 655, 439 52, 748, 909 13, 314, 738 22, 507, 926 12, 634, 682	96,008,341 3,030,042 2,227,700 3,473,661 1,858,352 17,414,317 3,242,437 970,029 65,867 4,087,011 1,542,853 391,041 20,389,357 889,553 5,380,317 3,404,676 2,053,958 321,760 3,696,692 10,880,530 211,359 862,928 5,455,244 2,184,335 6,939,166 1,753,456 578,591 348,574 4,495,293 308,316 2,139,772	126, 466, 412 124, 439, 579 105, 724, 140 58, 913, 217 46, 015, 709 42, 161, 377 45, 449, 194 41, 815, 731 26, 773, 642 17, 592, 909 23, 863, 064 23, 872, 495 12, 088, 329 16, 494, 997 14, 215, 309 9, 123, 769 13, 062, 330 20, 993, 002 15, 491, 186 10, 837, 419 7, 214, 898 8, 374, 795 15, 677, 093 17, 840, 997 7, 101, 093 9, 838, 808 8, 722, 371 6, 600, 164 7, 008, 272 6, 188, 012 5, 512, 479 3, 979, 248 4, 309, 975 4, 269, 526 2, 924, 908 4, 018, 587 2, 435, 582 3, 823, 830 3, 052, 110	114,178,301 1,935,227 1,977,040 4,170,416 1,667,088 11,080,742 2,858,384 1,294,487 57,767 3,911,886 1,587,529	104,615,042 89,393,814 67,659,295 52,496,417 41,625,628 36,308,801 35,887,481		
Total Domestic Exports	• • • • • • • • • • • • •	1,184,825,844		1,110,192,151		913,435,803		
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^{*}Quantity in 1929 shown in Imperial gallons.

Treatment of Gold in Trade Statistics-

Exports of gold in Canadian trade statistics are distinguished as between monetary and non-monetary. Monetary gold exports are those which entail a reduction in the Dominion's monetary gold stocks. All other gold exports (classed as non-monetary) are shown as merchandise and included with total merchandise exports.

In former times there was a movement of gold from Canada in the form of "Gold-bearing quartz, dust, nuggets, and gold bullion obtained direct from mining operations", and such gold has always been considered as "merchandise". When the Royal Mint in Ottawa began to refine gold, exports formerly shipped as "Gold-bearing quartz, dust, etc.", began to be exported in the form of bullion and were recorded under Coin and Bullion as distinct from Merchandise creating an incomparability with previous figures. Thus, in order to restore comparability with the statistics of previous years, it was considered expedient to adopt the present procedure. It was also felt that gold, like other great export staples, is a product of Canadian resources and industry which in large part is exported independently of domestic monetary considerations and ought not to be excluded from the statistics of exports of Canadian produce. Nor was it felt that gold which bears no relation to the Canadian monetary system should be classed as "money". The change was, accordingly, inaugurated on the 1st of April, 1936, and appropriate revisions made in the trade statistics for previous years back to 1926. Prior to this time no revision was necessary.

At the time it was believed that there would be no re-exports of non-monetary gold, *i.e.*, exports of previously imported gold of a non-monetary character. No provision was made, therefore, for this distinction with respect to exports of foreign products. However, it was found, as will be indicated below, that in order to faithfully represent the facts and logically to adhere to the policy laid down, the distinction was necessary for foreign exports as well as domestic exports, and, accordingly, that has been done since the 1st of April, 1938.

The fact that gold is a money metal gives it peculiar attributes that distinguish it from other commodities in trade. In particular, the movement of gold in international trade is determined almost exclusively by monetary factors. The amount of exports may fluctuate widely from month to month owing to other than ordinary trade or commercial considerations. In addition gold is generally acceptable. It does not have to surmount tariff barriers and is normally assured a market at a relatively fixed price. For these reasons it is frequently desired to view movements of trade in commercial commodities—strictly speaking—alone. Accordingly, provision is now made in the trade reports for a supplementary table showing exports from Canada excluding all gold. Such tables are given below.

Another complicating factor is that the nationality of gold does not affect its value as an export asset and, therefore, domestic and foreign gold are mutually substitutable. It is doubtless correct to treat new gold based on current production as a commodity of mineral origin and so classify it in export statistics, but it may happen that foreign (i.e. previously imported) gold may also be exported without reducing monetary stocks. These facts are now recorded in the trade statistics but will only show up in their entirety by reference to both domestic exports and exports of foreign produce. The statistics in this connection are somewhat complicated since they represent complicated facts.

Finally, gold does not move in international trade in any direct or normal relation to sales and purchases. It may be bought or sold abroad without moving in or out across the frontier. Trade statistics deal only with physical movements, sales or purchases of gold which do not involve an actual movement being more properly regarded as an "invisible item" and taken care of in the "International Balance of Payments" statements. Changes in the Bank of Canada's stock of gold under earmark do not enter, therefore, into the trade statistics. Additions to the stock from imports are taken account of when the gold in question enters Canada, not when it is added to earmark. Similarly, domestic gold added to earmark stock, although sold abroad, does not appear in export statistics because it remains in Canada. In view, however, of the relation to external trade, statistics respecting holdings of earmark gold are given on page 12 of this report.

SUMMARY OF THE TRADE OF CANADA WITH ALL COUNTRIES. (Including and Excluding Non-monetary Gold)

Color don Voors	Imports	Exports Domestic Foreign		Total Exports	Excess Exports (+) Excess Imports (-)
Calendar Years	Imports			Exports	Excess Imports (-)
1935	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Including non-monetary gold	550,314,551	825, 284, 114 100, 306, 655			
Exports of gold included above Excluding all gold	550,314,551				
1936 Including non-monetary gold. Exports of gold included above. Excluding all gold.	635, 190, 844	77,380,502	12,200	77,392,702	
1937 Including non-monetary gold	808,896,325	112,825,233	12,999		
1938 Including non-monetary gold. Exports of gold included above. Excluding all gold.	677, 451, 354	75,851,886	32, 190, 036	108,041,922	

SUMMARY OF THE TRADE OF CANADA WITH UNITED KINGDOM. (Including and Excluding Non-monetary Gold)

	-	Expo	rts	Total	Excess Exports (+)	
Calendar Years	Imports	Domestic Foreign		Exports	Excess Imports (-)	
1935	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Including non-monetary gold	116,670,227	306, 897, 042		307,714,364 3,396,196		
Exports of gold included above. Excluding all gold.	116,670,227	3,396,196 303,500,846				
Including non-monetary gold. Exports of gold included above. Excluding all gold.	122,971,264	399, 830, 985 4, 479, 035 395, 351, 950		400,749,376 4,479,035 396,270,341		
Including non-monetary gold	147, 291, 551	404,600,475				
Exports of gold included above. Excluding all gold.	147, 291, 551	2,538,381 $402,062,094$		2,538,381 $403,358,618$		
Including non-monetary gold	119, 268, 179	22,401	21,963,796	21,986,197		

SUMMARY OF THE TRADE OF CANADA WITH THE UNITED STATES. (Including and Excluding Non-monetary Gold)

Calendar Years	Imports	Exports Domestic Foreign		Total Exports	Excess Exports (+) Excess Imports (-	
1935 Including non-monetary gold	\$ 312,416,604		\$ 11,534,757	\$ 370,104,493		
Exports of gold included above Excluding all gold	312,416,604		11,434,232	96, 984, 889 273, 119, 604	- 39.297,000	
Including non-monetary gold	369, 141, 513	$\begin{array}{c} 406,664,567 \\ 72,747,618 \\ 333,916,949 \end{array}$		72,759,818		
Including non-monetary gold	490,504,978	470, 181, 046 110, 168, 903 360, 012, 143	12,999			
Including non-monetary gold. Exports of gold included above. Excluding all gold.	424,754,993	75, 450, 726	2,564,823			

HOLDINGS OF EARMARKED GOLD BY THE BANK OF CANADA.

Months	Earmarked During the Month	Months	Earmarked During the Month		
	1937 1938		1937 1938		
	Fine Ozs.		Fine Ozs.		
January February March April May June	72,679 265,269 131,616 1.011,218	July August September October. November December	580,318 53,457 924,853		

Net increase twelve months ended December 1936, 1,352,497 fine ozs.

Net increase twelve months ended December 1937, 579,847 fine ozs.

Net increase twelve months ended December 1938, 2,172,295 fine ozs.

World Distribution of Canada's Trade-

SUMMARY OF THE TRADE OF CANADA WITH FORTY PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES. (Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Countries	Value of Imports		Per cent Increase (+) or De- crease (-) 1938 compared	Value of Domestic Exports		Per cent Increase (+) or De- crease (-) 1938 compared
	1937	1938	with 1937	1937	1938	with 1937
Principal Empire Countries—	(Thousands	of Dollars)	%	(Thousands	of Dollars)	%
Australia Bermuda. British East Africa. British Guiana British India. British South Africa. British West Africa.	12,061 75 3,413 5,587 9,469 8,246 1,687	9,044 68 1,735 7,113 8,455 1,991 1,004	$ \begin{array}{c} (-)25 \cdot 0 \\ (-) 9 \cdot 3 \\ (-)49 \cdot 2 \\ (+)27 \cdot 3 \\ (-)10 \cdot 7 \\ (-)75 \cdot 9 \\ (-)40 \cdot 5 \end{array} $	30,597 1,549 996 1,490 4,652 16,600 1,108	32,982 1,414 676 1,398 2,863 15,547 476	(+) 7·7 (-) 8·7 (-)32·1 (-) 6·2 (-)38·5 (-) 6·4 (-)57·1
British West Indies— Barbados. Jamaica Trinidad and Tobago. Other Ceylon. Fiji Ireland (Fire). Newfoundland. New Zealand. Straits Settlements. United Kingdom.	3,235 $5,881$ $1,541$ $1,579$ $6,366$ $2,450$ 47 $2,511$ $7,579$ $15,796$ $147,291$	2, 132 6, 192 2, 352 2, 383 3, 678 2, 394 27 2, 194 4, 562 10, 278 119, 268	$ \begin{array}{c} (-)34\cdot 1\\ (+)5\cdot 3\\ (+)52\cdot 6\\ (+)50\cdot 9\\ (-)42\cdot 3\\ (-)2\cdot 3\\ (-)42\cdot 6\\ (-)12\cdot 6\\ (-)39\cdot 8\\ (-)34\cdot 9\\ (-)19\cdot 0\\ \end{array} $	1,273 4,113 3,896 1,915 236 516 4,425 9,126 14,689 2,715 404,600	1,077 4,442 3,714 1,777 192 367 4,439 8,403 16,371 2,448 339,711	$ \begin{array}{c} (-)15\cdot 4 \\ (+)8\cdot 0 \\ (-)4\cdot 7 \\ (-)7\cdot 3 \\ (-)18\cdot 6 \\ (-)28\cdot 9 \\ (+)0\cdot 3 \\ (-)7\cdot 9 \\ (+)11\cdot 4 \\ (-)9\cdot 8 \\ (-)16\cdot 0 \\ \end{array} $
Principal Foreign Countries— Argentina. Belgium Brazil China Colombia Cuba. Czechoslovakia. Denmark France. Germany Greece Italy Japan Mexico. Morocco. Netherlands Norway Peru. Spain Sweden. Switzerland United States	6,242 7,866 848 4,452 4,790 835 2,882 181 6,695 11,983 59 3,426 5,875 624 13 3,359 750 4,586 940 2,427 3,446 490,505	2,149 6,181 769 2,466 6,903 440 2,528 174 6,105 9,930 29 2,631 4,643 576 69 3,756 733 3,005 793 2,114 3,488 424,755	(-)65·6 (-)21·4 (-) 9·3 (-)44·6 (+)44·1 (-,47·3 (-)12·3 (-) 8·8 (-)17·1 (-)50·8 (-)23·2 (-)21·0 (-) 7·7 (+)430·7 (+)11·8 (-)23·3 (-)34·5 (-)12·9 (+) 1·2 (-)13·4	7,294 17,071 5,003 4,152 1,444 1,868 855 1,089 8,362 11,742 365 2,748 25,852 3,419 1,418 12,521 6,223 1,237 4 2,979 618 470,181	4, 675 9, 659 3, 522 2, 885 1, 270 1, 233 3, 164 1, 528 9, 152 18, 166 1, 565 1, 745 21, 092 2, 340 97 10, 267 7, 854 892 101 5, 411 736 345, 912	(-)35·9 (-)43·4 (-)29·6 (-)30·5 (-)12·1 (-)34·0 (+)270·0 (+)40·3 (+) 9·4 (+)54·7 (+)328·8 (-)36·5 (-)18·6 (-)18·6 (-)27·9 (+)26·2 (-)27·9 (+)2·425·0 (+)19·1 (-)26·4

PROPORTION OF CANADA'S IMPORTS FROM AND EXPORTS TO EMPIRE AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

	Empire Countries		Foreign Countries		United Kingdom		United States	
Calendar Years	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
1926 1927 1928 1929 1930 1931 1932 1933 1934 1935 1936 1936 1937	21·3 22·1 20·8 19·8 22·6 24·2 28·3 33·1 30·6 31·6 29·8 29·8 29·2 27·5	43·5 40·9 40·2 33·3 35·7 35·8 39·9 50·7 47·7 46·1 47·7 45·8 48·5	78·7 77·9 79·2 80·2 77·4 75·8 71·7 66·9 69·4 68·4 70·2 70·8 72·5	56.5 59.1 59.8 66.6 64.3 64.2 60.1 49.3 52.3 53.8 52.3 54.2 51.5	$\begin{array}{c} 16 \cdot 4 \\ 16 \cdot 7 \\ 15 \cdot 6 \\ 15 \cdot 0 \\ 16 \cdot 2 \\ 17 \cdot 4 \\ 20 \cdot 7 \\ 24 \cdot 4 \\ 22 \cdot 1 \\ 21 \cdot 2 \\ 19 \cdot 4 \\ 18 \cdot 2 \\ 17 \cdot 6 \\ \end{array}$	36·1 33·5 32·9 24·5 26·5 27·8 32·6 43·3 39·2 37·2 39·4 36·4 37·2	$66 \cdot 3$ $65 \cdot 1$ $67 \cdot 5$ $68 \cdot 8$ $64 \cdot 8$ $62 \cdot 7$ $54 \cdot 2$ $57 \cdot 2$ $56 \cdot 8$ $58 \cdot 2$ $60 \cdot 6$ $62 \cdot 6$	36.9 39.1 36.8 44.3 44.6 43.5 39.2 31.5 39.7 43.4 40.1 42.3 37.9

Note.—If adjustment is made in the value of the imports in 1935, 1936, 1937 and 1938 to account for the exclusion of the excise duty on distilled spirits, as from April 1, 1935, the proportion of the imports from Empire Countries and the United Kingdom, would have been larger than recorded. (See General Note page 3.)

Trade of Canada with the United Kingdom-

Trade of Canada with the United Kingdom in 1938 reversed the upward movement of recent years. Imports valued at \$119,268,000 and domestic exports valued at \$339,711,000 were both lower than in 1937. The following table gives a summary of Canada's trade with the United Kingdom over the last four years.

SUMMARY OF CANADA'S TRADE WITH THE UNITED KINGDOM, 1938.

						e (+) Decre 3 compared w	
	1935	1936	1937	1938	1935	1936	1937
Merchandise Imports—			(In Th	nousands of De	ollars)		
Dutiable goods	56,521 60,1 4 9	58,163 64,808				(-) 3,255 (-) 448	(-) 13,412 (-) 14,612
Total Imports	116,670	122,971	147,292	119,268	(+) 2,598	(-) 3,703	(-) 28,024
Exports— Canadian produce Foreign produce	30 6, 897 818	399,831 918	404,600 1,297				
Total Exports	307,715	400,749	405,897	363,410	(+) 55,695	(-) 37,339	(-) 42,487
TOTAL TRADE	424,385	523,720	553,189	482,678	(+) 58,293	(-) 41,042	(-) 70,511
BALANCE OF TRADE							
Favourable (+)	(+) 191,045	(+) 277,778	(+) 258,605	(+) 244,142	(+) 53,097	(-) 33,636	(-) 14,463
Coin and Bullion							
Imports	9	44	23	16,740	(+) 16,731	(+) 16,696	(+) 16,717
Exports— Canadian produce Foreign produce	7,147	4,292	9,082	13,362	(+) 6,215	(+) 9,070	(+) 4,280
Total Exports	7,147	4,292	9,082	13,362	(+) 6,215	(+) 9,070	(+) 4,280
TOTAL TRADE	7,156	4,336	9,105	30,102	(+) 22,946	(+) 25,766	(+) 20,997
Balance of Trade— Favourable (+) Unfavourable (-)	(+) 7,138	(+) 4 ,248	(+) 9,059	(-) 3,378	(-) 10,516	(-) 7,626	(-) 12,437
Merchandise and Coin Bullion Imports	116,679	123,015	147.315	136,008	(-) 19 329	(+) 12,993	(-) 11,307
Exports	314,862	405,041	414,979		(+) 61,910	(-) 28,269	(-) 38,207
Balance of Trade— Favourable (+) Unfavourable (-)	(+) 198,183	(+) 282,026	(+) 267,664	(+) 240,764	(+) 42 ,581	(-) 41,262)-) 26,900

Some of the important items in Canada's exports to the United Kingdom in 1937 and 1938 are given below. More details respecting imports from and exports to the United Kingdom are published in the report on the "Trade of Canada, Calendar Year 1938."

Items	Exports to United Kingdom		
FOCITIO	1937	1938	
	\$	\$	
Wheat	95, 794, 483 32, 467, 171 24, 585, 791 35, 751, 651 23, 619, 605 9, 107, 016 11, 825, 692 8, 909, 440 13, 537, 821 8, 111, 340 6, 490, 358 10, 115, 115 10, 886, 174 8, 411, 292 2, 586, 387 4, 613, 149 3, 798, 818 4, 260, 024 4, 557, 747 2, 293, 976 858, 347 3, 751, 457 1, 158, 609 1, 183, 740 1, 198, 834 1, 000, 101 683, 916 568, 337 206, 767 807, 609 228, 660 526, 009 306, 271	51,666,177 30,494,762 27,530,673 26,123,837 19,374,453 12,198,726 11,023,338 9,705,089 9,585,603 9,023,427 8,709,817 8,553,104 6,656,476 6,571,840 5,231,027 4,692,583 4,324,587 3,726,527 3,678,448 3,558,877 2,734,014 2,457,267 1,664,517 1,479,243 1,461,618 1,129,477 942,170 868,432 507,219 487,900 445,770 328,861 314,780 159,563 71,963	

Imports from the United Kingdom included the following:—

Items	Imports from United Kingdom		
Techno	1937	1938	
	\$	\$	
Plates and sheets, iron. Coal Worsteds and serges. Oils, vegetable. Whiskey Machinery Worsted tops. Flax, hemp and jute. Tableware of china. Tea. Cotton fabrics, printed or dyed Woollen yarn. Books and printed matter. Cotton yarn. Electric apparatus Paints and varnishes. Glass and glassware. Wool, raw.	3,219,581 3,312,447 3,402,262 3,350,380 2,297,143 2,915,947 1,989,126 1,877,089 1,668,786 2,157,920	7,915,024 6,563,816 5,556,239 4,538,210 4,394,641 4,179,615 4,061,148 3,673,392 3,289,341 2,864,671 2,608,662 2,230,438 2,158,168 2,023,212 1,825,051 1,484,850 1,348,898 1,230,016	
Wire, ironRum	1,499,849 1,081,252	999,383 256,049	

Trade of Canada with the United States-

In 1938 as in 1937, the United States was Canada's greatest external source of supply and most valuable market. Both imports and exports, which increased steadily between 1933 and 1937, declined in 1938.

SUMMARY OF CANADA'S TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES.

		Y	Years ended December 31— Increas 1938					
		1935	1936	1937	1938	1935	1936	1937
	Merchandise			(In Th	ousands of D	Pollars)		
Im	ports— Dutiable Goods Free Goods	187,320 125,097	222,329 $146,812$	290,427 200,078	253,749 171,006	(+) 66,429 (+) 45,909		
	Total Imports	312,417	369,141	490,505	424,755	(+) 112,338	(+) 55,614	(-) 65,750
Ex_{1}	ports— Canadian produce Foreign produce	358,569 11,535	406,665 10,882	470 , 181 12, 222	345,912 10,861			(-) 124,269 (-) 1,361
	Total Exports	370, 104	417,547	482,403	356,773	(-) 13,331	(-) 60,774	(-) 125,630
	TOTAL TRADE	682,521	786,688	972,908	781,528	(+) 99,007	(-) 5,160	(-) 191,380
Ba	lance of Trade— Favourable (+) Unfavourable (-)	(+) 57,687	(+) 48,406	(-) 8,102	(-) 67,982	(-) 125,669	(-) 116,388	(-) 59,880
	Coin and Bullion							
Im	ports	824	1,051	1,243	1,491	(+) 667	(+) 440	(+) 248
E x	ports— Canadian produce Foreign produce	38 3,346	65 1,369	58 2,271	33 12;165			(-) 25 (+) 9,894
	Total Exports	3,384	1,434	2,329	12,198	(+) 8,814	(+) 10,764	(+) 9,869
	TOTAL TRADE	4,208	2,485	3,572	13,689	(+) 9,481	(+) 11,204	(+) 10,117
Ba	lance of Trade— Favourable (+) Unfavourable (-)	(+) 2,560	(+) 383	(+) 1,086	(+) 10,707	(+) 8,147	(+) 10,324	(+) 9,621
N	MERCHANDISE AND COIN AND BULLION							
	ports	313,241 373,488	370, 192 418, 981	491,748 484,732	426,246 368,971	(+) 113,005 (-) 4,517	(+) 56,054 (-) 50,010	(-) $65,502$ $(-)$ $115,761$
Ba	dance of Trade— Favourable (+) Unfavourable (-)	(+) 60,247	(+) 48,789	(-) 7,016	(-) 57, 275	(-) 117,522	(-) 106,064	(-) 50,259

IMPORTANT EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES IN 1937 AND 1938 INCLUDED THE FOLLOWING:

Items		Exports to United States		
Lems	1937	1938		
	\$	\$		
Newsprint paper	105,699,202	85, 190, 91		
Gold bullion, other than monetary	103,212,704	67,611,81		
Wood pulp		21,561,54 $12,385,74$		
Planks and boards		11.557.32		
Whiskey	20,655,082	10,493,18		
Pulpwood	11,437,463	10,374,55		
Fish, fresh	10,718,977	9,917,84		
Cattle, n.o.p. Asbestos	$\begin{bmatrix} 13,553,064 \\ 5,347,488 \end{bmatrix}$	5,653,24 $3,125,40$		
Abrasives, artificial, crude	5,238,546	2,734.02		
Hides and skins.	3,111,337	2,253,64		
Asbestos sand and waste		2,003,42		
Mink skins	1,151,081	1,540,19		
Malt. Maple sugar	$2,478,285 \ 508,408$	1,292,01		
Potatoes	766,688	1,190,76 684,19		
Horses, n.o.p.	1,309,535	672.26		
Ferro-manganese and other ferro-alloys	1,026,009	580,71		
Laths		519,44		
Pork, fresh	2,577,295	441,72		
Bran, shorts and middlings. Cheese	2,171,719 $727,456$	$318,70 \\ 310,42$		

Imports from the United States included the following items:

Items		ts from l States
Toolins	1937	1938
	\$	\$
Machinery		31,692,642
Crude petroleum	36,813,410	31,349,738
Coal	30,587,340	27,329,477
Automobile parts. Farm implements.	$32,608,920 \\ 16,275,597$	24,526,900 19,196,007
Rolling mill products	26,507,317	19, 190, 007
Fruits	16,113,606	13,327,938
Books and printed matter	11,633,151	12,541,332
Automobiles	15, 136, 802	12,327,816
Raw cotton	19,314,192	12,320,152
Refined petroleum.	8,840,392	11,076,391
Electric apparatus	12,732,689	10, 492, 929
Stone and its products	7,425,883	6,131,223
Engines and boilers	9,580,379	5,753,124
Paper and manufactures	5,615,986	5,561,537
Silk and its products	5,820,654	5,181,095
Vegetables	4,771,138	4,785,787
Rubber and its products	5,615,957	3,555,101
Glass and glassware	4,068,724	3,527,971
Lumber and timber. Clay and products.	4,677,028	3,185,589
Furs, undressed.	4,217,650	3,064,904
Oils, vegetable.	$3,095,330 \\ 3,416,255$	2,505,457 2,103,310
Leather and manufactures.	3,410,255 $2,194,159$	2,103,310
Paints and varnishes.	2,194,159 2,656,845	1,952,706
Dyeing and tanning materials.	2,395,505	1,788,539
Iron ore	3,391,877	1,538,369
Hides and skins	1,842,870	1.223.840
Sisal fibre	988.812	1,223,115
Gums and resins	1,953,375	1,035,888

TRADE OF CANADA WITH ARGENTINA. (Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

	Calendar Years		Commodities	Calendar Years		
Commodities	1937	1938	Commodities	1937	1938	
Flaxseed	6,242,263 3,128,884 1,704,437 1,209,940 1,600,649 146,395 2,007,190 8,721,485 449,660 9,317,627 347,887	2,149,160 295,886 166,548 711,258 931,921 50,564 529,955 5,371,977 332,927 3,616,301 138,930	Total Domestic Exports. \$ Principal Exports— Rubber footwear. Pair Pneumatic tire casings. No. \$ Potatoes, seed. Bush. Newsprint paper. Cwt. Farm implements. \$ Machinery. \$ Copper and products. \$ Electric apparatus. \$	7,294,191 146,050 107,914 2,316 30,643 1,190,030 1,358,016 1,524,684 2,675,554 2,450,387 69,069 5,205 76,738	80,472 79,626 2,199 24,961 260,270 239,421 613,780 1,716,296 2,076,074 53,835 17,040 141,794	

TRADE OF CANADA WITH AUSTRALIA. (Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

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Fotal Imports\$	12,061,259	9,043,630	Principal Exports—Con.		
Principal Imports—	0.040 ===0	W 404 404	7 35.64	92.827	E0 049
Currants, dried Lb.	6,013,750	5,491,124	LogsMft.	92,821	59,948
\$	553,477	546, 153	701 2 11 1 70 64	2,065,314	1,241,989
Raisins Lb.	29,853,423	24, 173, 181	Planks and boards M ft.	130,916	112,289
\$	2,929,309	2,603,414	3	2,261,207	1,678,734
Peaches, canned Lb.	4,437,299	1,877,433	Timber, square M ft.	33,380	9,119
2	278 904	116,725	\$	635,934	29,501
Wheat flour Brl.	14,092	9,266	Shooks\$ Newsprint paperCwt.	497,897	405,742
\$	68,687	35,589 10,414 18,457	Newsprint paperCwt.	2,360,306	3,562,392
Sugar, not above No. 16 Cwt.	131,581	10,414	5	4,743,093	7,611,782
D.S. \$	226,395	18,457	Wrapping paperCwt.	16,400	43,068
Sugar, above, No. 16 Cwt.	1,667,358	974,983	1	102,544	268,751
D.S. \$ Wines, non-sparklingGal.	2,918,591	1,647,615	Wire, iron\$	102, 344 123, 199 207, 557 112, 327 8, 039	277,688
Wines, non-sparkling Gal.	64.592	59,637	Farm implements \$	207,557	298,293
\$	113,183	103,781	Hardware and cutlery \$	112,327	117,693
Hides and skinsCwt.	ସ୍ଥର ସହର	8,632	Typewriting machines No.	8,039	9,138
\$	516,149	131,027	\$	423, 267	455,963
ButterLb.	010,110	1,400,000	Other machinery \$	1,128,079	1,172,593
			Tools \$	641,732	671,742
Greese for soan Cwt.	90.372	39,480	Automobiles	28,721	27,485
Grease for soapCwt.	474 211	150, 495	\$	7,485,338	8, 182, 357
Gelatine, edible Lb.	626,480	656, 212	Automobile parts \$	741,838	621,642
Geratine, edible	118,780	127.996	Aluminium and products. \$	231,922	90,531
Wool, raw Lb.	3,919,913	3,395,330	Clocks and watches \$	288, 152	305,872
(YOUI, 1aw	1,692,440	1,185,558	Electric apparatus\$	582,516	731,028
Worsted tops Lb.	1,924,018	1,681,228	Asbestos, raw Ton	3,057	6,380
worsted tops	1,109,132	640 040	115565005, 124	151,264	402,889
Rags and wasteCwt.	$ \begin{array}{c c} 1,109,132 \\ 7,050 \\ 225,591 \end{array} $	5.335	Medicinal preparations \$	113,698	160,813
Rags and waste	225, 591	126,871	FertilizersCwt.	400	532
•	220,091	120,011	Tel tillzers	740	792
Total Domostic Ermonts C	20 506 568	32,982,051	Soda and compoundsCwt.	41.606	58,625
Total Domestic Exports \$		08,308,001	Soua and compoundsCwt.	256,812	360.494
Principal Exports— Salmon, cannedCwt.	144 000	134,631	Packages\$	136,503	189.025
Salmon, canned	144,809		Defrigareters No.	2.943	2,591
3	1,742,549	1,667,519	Refrigerators No.	322.768	223,014
Cotton fabrics Yd.		2,995,548	7727		
\$	1,209,166	777,568	Films\$	325,273	390,596

TRADE OF CANADA WITH BELGIUM. (Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Fotal Imports\$ Principal Imports— Furs and manufactures\$ Leather, manufactured\$ Gelatine, edible\$ Cotton and products\$ Flax, hemp and jute\$ Wool and products\$ Binder twine\$ Paper and manufactures\$ Rolling mill products\$ Zinc and products\$ Coal	7,866,267 637,049 114,164 456,725 69,869 793,459 217,004 277,454 5,907 45,585 163,399 1,018,835 185,749 20,593 93,816	6,180,793 618,446 113,887 244,549 36,629 620,413 164,975 191,842 13,596 89,193 162,269 618,841 111,501 33,689 155,045	Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— Apples, fresh	20,242 60,747 314,411 323,583 7,359,280 9,318,242 8,929 99,188 5,079 78,582 23,677 69,436 894,212 252,346	9,558,709 11,630 34,903 125,081 69,277 7,775,903 5,697,633 5,813 69,411 5,900 100,890 9,692 27,864 522,401 38,503
Zinc and products \$	185,749 20,593	111,501 33,689	Copper products \$	$69,436 \\ 894,212$	27,864 $522,401$

TRADE OF CANADA WITH BRAZIL.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Commodities	Calendar Years		Commodities	Calendar Years	
	1937	1938	Commodities	1937	1938
Total Imports		768,915 139,120 5,627,713 346,634 2,561,196 100,189 35,044 114,866	Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— Apples, fresh	5,002,552 4,032 18,116 75,100 857,274 147,632 362,686 2,131,353 94,134 182,469 404,024 46,484 135,047	3,521,766 24,413 105,281 53,055 656,527 460 1,094 1,436,634 248,097 84,397 205,096 128,449 191,787

TRADE OF CANADA WITH BRITISH GUIANA.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Principal Imports— Molasses and syrupsGal. Sugar, not above No.16 Cwt. D.S. Sugar, above No.16, D.S.Cwt. BauxiteCwt. 3,52	86,902 7,113,453 73,578 4,026,037 49,404 198,423 81,793 2,440,396 08,103 4,444,324 29,049 482,266 94,765 919,562 29,234 6,199,079 1,471,093	Total Domestic Exports \$ Principal Exports— Vegetables \$ Wheat flour BrI. \$ Fish, all kinds Cwt. Wood, unmanufactured \$ Automobiles No.	1,489,686 83,453 97,355 577,988 33,771 160,597 70,563 79 40,618	73,792 81,171 396,718 45,836 216,816 77,839 85 46,076
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH BRITISH INDIA

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

otal Imports \$	9,468,958	8,454,755	Total Domestic Exports \$	4,651,994	2,863,
Principal Imports—			Principal Exports—		
Nuts \$	256,091	350,479	OatmealCwt.	13,014	13.
RiceCwt.	335,670	180,991	8	136.093	139,
\$	488.096	250,701	Rubber tires and tubes \$	188,446	45.
Tea Lb.	16, 125, 225	15.294.707	Newsprint paperCwt.	114, 199	24.
\$	4,021,343	3,895,487	\$	226,615	50.
Jute fabrics Yd.	98,603,145	91,885,651	Machinery \$	17.354	216
\$	3,357,277	2,782,035	Automobiles. No.	4,281	2
Wool and products \$	330,450	275, 106	\$	1.880.837	1,236
Paraffine wax Lb.	3.572,939	3.344.320	Automobile parts\$	222.992	247
\$	151,802	122,471	Aluminium and products. \$	172.962	189
Articles for manufacture		,	Copper and products \$	364,066	36
of fertilizers \$	104.920	114.219	Precious metals	283.960	

TRADE OF CANADA WITH BRITISH SOUTH AFRICA (NOT INCLUDING SOUTHERN RHODESIA).

Total Imports	275,870 328,787 119,530 16,599,591 15,935 72,652 1,964,371 114,318 78,398 623,706	1,991,295 1,566,249 1,079,003 205,680 360,205 292,981 99,867 15,546,687 21,078 103,725 2,375,014 153,079 52,868 432,530	Principal Exports—Con. Sardines	29, 753 268, 043 234, 414 1, 483, 263 512, 428 26, 109 695, 556 178, 567 553, 717 953, 483 84, 363 441, 593 25, 117 1, 002, 597 263, 668 1, 311, 911	30,023 273,150 277,676 1,737,244 628,764 24,680 513,098 400,333 904,238 26,280 137,197 45,461 1,779,480 94,762 874,151
Vegetables, canned Lb.	72,652 $1,964,371$ $114,318$ $78,398$ $623,706$ $46,131$ $49,273$	103,725 2,375,014 153,079 52,868	Rails, iron or steelTon Pipe and tubing, iron\$	$\begin{array}{c} 84,363\\441,593\\25,117\\1,002,597\\263,668\end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 26,280 \\ 137,197 \\ 45,461 \\ 1,779,480 \\ 94,762 \end{array}$

TRADE OF CANADA WITH BRITISH STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

	Calendar Years			Calendar Years		
Commodities	1937	1938	Commodities	1937	1938	
Potal Imports\$ Principal Imports— Pineapples, canned	15,796,187 18,304,067 548,151 38,380,200 1,822,320 59,224,356 11,194,637 35,912 1,920,721	10,277,630 18,294,904 498,520 47,575,600 1,857,437 45,419,906 6,394,960 33,784 1,400,871	Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— Pneumatic tire casings No Milk products\$ Automobiles	2,715,314 37,101 316,858 100,721 3,727 1,622,245 125,386	2,448,040 33,277 333,343 113,605 2,738 1,285,511 155,321	

TRADE OF CANADA WITH BARBADOS.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Total Imports\$ Principal Imports— Molasses and syrups Gal. Sugar, not above No. 16 Cwt. D.S. Sugar, above No. 16 D.S. Cwt.	3,234,799 4,914,848 1,557,687 581,124 1,181,776 226,002 473,996	2,131,749 4,405,505 1,386,624 297,390 535,620 98,732 189,623	Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— Wheat flour\$ Meats\$ Planks and boardsMft. Staves and headings\$	1,272,532 43,950 255,634 97,265 7,647 195,989 79,200	1,077,350 34,565 183,275 102,547 4,821 114,381 68,505 162
Sugar, above No. 16 D.S. Cwt.			Staves and headings \$ Automobiles No.		

TRADE OF CANADA WITH JAMAICA.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Potal Imports	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	6,192,385 2,413,248 1,119,817 142,541 1,821,760 3,392,317 241,092 422,943 46,473 220,050 9,043,691 677,254	Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— Wheat flour	4,112,842 210,793 1,231,830 19,776 212,581 13,938 80,563 56,766 215,471 230,924 213,797 266,643 827 485,029	4,442,408 231,695 1,097,973 23,071 262,193 16,699 83,217 74,608 215,849 221,169 253,476 274,035 477,616

TRADE OF CANADA WITH TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

Total Imports\$ Principal Imports— Molasses and syrupsGal Sugar, not above No. 16 Cwt D.S. Sugar, above No. 16, D.S. Cwt Cocoa, beans, not roasted. Cwt \$	330,203 382,913 752,598 14,731 29,355	2,352,406 674,423 36,142 900,692 1,663,738 41,137 79,168 60,340 347,938	Total Domestic Exports \$ Principal Exports— Wheat flour Brl. Codfish, dried Cwt. Fibres and textiles \$ Planks and boards Mft. Engines \$ Automobiles No.	3,896,260 200,833 1,209,316 38,338 221,784 171,916 7,036 164,416 100,008 806 436,371	3,714,336 202,841 938,116 39,313 241,386 181,836 8,763 204,285 5,666 815 469,828
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH OTHER BRITISH WEST INDIES.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Commodities	Calendar Years		Commodities	Calendar Years	
Commodities	1937	1938	Commodities	1937	1938
Total Imports	145, 476 506, 836 100, 250 228, 151 475, 920	2,382,849 192,152 45,030 3,986,621 157,975 1,707,874 110,567 628,166 1,216,701 88,074 173,213 40,122 228,690	Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— Wheat flour	1,915,386 138,821 817,921 20,552 82,911 102,815 128,592 2,348 80,257 235 134,761	1,777,553 149,965 690,762 24,589 101,104 96,818 122,903 2,023 69,382 196 119,318

TRADE OF CANADA WITH CEYLON.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Total Imports\$ Principal Imports— Tea	2,278,479	3,678,529 9,253,676 2,435,538 1,992,418 646,267 3,246,819 472,076	Total Domestic Exports \$ Principal Exports— Automobiles	236,356 170 76,110 9,986 10,777	192,118 104 47,780 13,291 12,385
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH CHINA.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Total Imports	1,295,224 110,771 58,265 94,620 262,890 295,986 73,339 4,152,354 40,145 217,593 11,410 124,312	2,466,186 1,186,682 98,667 304,911 33,915 48,026 71,220 169,131 224,792 32,711 2,885,072 56,553 247,229 170 1,776 28,972 35,575	Principal Fxports—Con. Logs	21,518 334,636 5,064 3,901 32,169 567,524 7,087 107,417 42,795 76,027 211,245 556,979 56,102 234,798 443,044 316,109 303,274 102,515 107,127	15,557 224,701 22,380 331,581 16,790 259,619 5,546 13,933 40,986 168,916 6,385 217,777 651,426 213,628 76,106 30,864 32,627
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH COLOMBIA.

Total Imports\$ Principal Imports— Coffee, greenLb. \$ Petroleum, crudeM gal. \$	4,790,298 7,116,640 773,675 127,827 4,014,064	6,903,426 7,045,009 663,904 199,238 6,238,873	Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— WheatBush. Pneumatic tire casingsNo. Newsprint paperCwt. Wrapping paperCwt. \$	1,443,768 128,816 176,958 24,876 324,313 45,424 96,715 48,934 168,656	1,270,196 36,580 36,580 23,139 292,855 2,719 5,677 36,858 133,444
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH CUBA.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Commodities	Calendar Years		Commodities	Calendar Years		
	1937	1938	Commodities	1937	1938	
Total Imports\$ Principal Imports— Pineapples, fresh	835,274 96,965 113,776 1,022,085 39,277 329,092 387,437 48,948 64,999 21,034 117,822	439,924 92,358 94,288 446,558 10,052 44,755 48,384 201,009 142,888 24,732 90,029	Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— Potatoes, seed and other Bush. Grain and products\$ Codfish, driedCwt. Newsprint paperCwt. Inorganic chemicals\$	1,868,343 529,668 503,938 203,938 40,430 237,372 361,709 659,634 95,382	1,233,411 302,032 251,568 132,095 37,472 210,669 158,365 338,390 91,064	

TRADE OF CANADA WITH CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Total Imports	2,882,224 268,302 80,721 81,264 408,201 381,164 67,693 171,008 75,235 150,038 70,445	2,528,353 106,948 30,645 13,764 317,631 377,201 73,696 140,361 41,664 156,510 65,334 187,600	Principal Imports—Con. Tableware of glass\$ Other glass\$ Household equipment\$ Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— Rubber tires and tubes\$ Hides and skins, rawCwt. Aluminium in barsCwt. Copper in ingotsCwt. \$ Asbestos, raw	128,799 303,482 234,274 855,128 9,105 3,424 74,010 3,946 76,857 50,699 652,698	122,212 188,026 293,805 3,164,222 3,376 17,442 167,086 2,298 44,201 267,464 2,551,263 4,002 288,158
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH DENMARK.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

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Total Imports \$	181,461	173,787	Total Domestic Exports \$	1,088,507	1,528,137
Principal Imports—			Principal Exports—		
Seeds\$	23,154	21, 161	RyeBush.	17,142	26,221
CheeseLb.	167, 207	126,784	\$	20,700	12,459
\$	30,183	22, 187	WheatBush.	448,685	1,439,508
Rennet Lb.	51,430	83,821	\$	613, 216	1,232,789
\$	22,883	34,494	Pneumatic tire casings No.	17,628	2,973
Machinery\$	15,661	16,229	\$	147,586	29,850
Machinery	10,001	10,220	Copper and products \$	157,481	64,888

TRADE OF CANADA WITH EGYPT.

*	Principal Exports—	393,017 2,269	395,791 14,536	Farm implements \$	34,776 11,606	1,056 5,278 1,311 5,250 13,529 163,438 14,390 20,618 2,087 13,860 3,460 20,699
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH FRANCE.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Commodities	Calenda	r Years	Commodities	Calenda	r Years
Commodities	1937	1938	Commodities	1937	1938
Total Imports Principal Imports— Nuts	6,695,112 274,198 65,608 122,650 85,497 683,140 359,648 29,298 91,320 433,798 420,033 2,264 51,947 233,639 129,698 53,250 242,462 210,589 191,034 364,866 244,746 220,323	6,104,841 181,346 52,461 75,821 72,972 495,804 279,313 28,053 92,022 141,483 267,927 223,694 136,608 65,527 227,983 231,806 203,204 319,922 275,461 193,218 70,861	Principal Imports—Con. Fertilizers	73,415 174,029 8,361,981 852,872 1,149,164 2,844 144,724 59,212 533,059 15,734 426,130 153,373 146,111 457,472 2,425,967 733,056 229,753 185,924	400, 803 467, 161 179, 172 9,152,226 4,664,735 3,539, 194 2,023 106,252 58,553 554,392 17,034 366,003 38,903 168,257 727,088 25,071 275,314 1,499,866 177,751 99,457 286,271 9,445 654,765

TRADE OF CANADA WITH GERMANY.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

otal Imports\$	11,982,695	9,930,456	Principal Imports—Con.		
Principal Imports—			Toys and dolls\$	304,691	263,539
Seeds \$	44,893	20,682	Containers \$	151,012	122,951
Cotton and products \$	315,560	220,513	Household equipment \$	333,483	315,835
Silk and products \$	196,574	172,241	Musical instruments \$	140, 297	127,619
Mixed textile products \$	193,228	231,993	Scientific apparatus \$	503,925	494,302
Paper and products \$	172,828	153,231			
Hardware and cutlery \$	291,481	263,216			
Machinery \$	735,618	542,607	Total Domestic Exports \$	11,741,859	18,266,264
Tools \$	212,404	184,035	Principal Exports—		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Nickel plated ware, n.o.p \$	109,709	127, 290	Fruits \$	442,050	545, 299
Phosphor tin and bronze. Lb.	698,879	169,365	WheatBush.	1,993,935	3,755,957
\$	232, 184	51,292	\$	2,471,008	2,665,334
Clocks and watches \$	227,958	180,800	Salmon, pickledCwt.	14,460	15,437
Ores of metal, n.o.pCwt.	105,371	148,376	\$	250,814	298,760
\$	274,905	389,202	Pilchard oil	773,675	1,326,863
Clay and products \$	149,594	123,845	\$	201,412	226,468
Coal Ton	290,551	317,648	Wool, raw I.b.	1,471,168	973, 154
\$	1,169,220	1,325,187	\$	408, 206	160,857
Glass and glassware \$	546, 168	385, 114	Wood, unmanufactured \$	514,931	1,849,134
Acids \$	94,790	93,277	Aluminium barsCwt.	6,959	122,912
Drugs and medicines \$	140,886	106,234	\$	143,904	1,687,465
Dyeing and tanning ma-			Brass and products \$	157,672	60,348
terials\$	1,433,366	1,096,019	Copper and products \$	2,780,460	5,449,403
FertilizersCwt.	498,011	322,920	Nickel and products \$	916,005	702, 291
\$	546,967	280,745	Precious metals \$	128,407	270,112
Paints and varnishes \$	239,502	156,560	Asbestos, raw Ton	22,904	29,051
Potassium compounds Lb.	3,849,645	3,594,413	\$	1,457,289	2,657,386
\$	152,852	138,652			

TRADE OF CANADA WITH GREECE.

Total Imports\$ Principal Imports— Fruits\$	59,156 16,284	29,472 14,454	Total Domestic Exports \$ Principal Exports— WheatBush	365,146 228,186 317,617	1,564,675 1,681,436 1,561,484
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH HONG KONG.

(Calandar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Commodities	Calendar Years		Commodities	Calendar Years		
	1937	1938	Commodities	1937	1938	
Total Imports	780,901 64,705 124,847 59,478 151,009 46,235 34,744 29,389 12,747 193,724 29,979 19,153 28,443 33,535 12,364 1,850,879 28,450 11,927 56,465 35,185 121,375 642,593	784,756 56,367 135,756 54,558 151,979 31,309 19,858 14,553 12,090 173,096 24,552 21,034 18,029 48,138 11,336 2,223,249 50,487 18,956 45,421 25,377 107,240 433,865	Principal Exports—Con. Pneumatic tire casings No. Inner tubes	107, 762 8, 347 11, 884 52, 635 65, 738 1, 351 11, 357 5, 696 46, 215 80, 068 49, 195 2, 803 47, 612 1, 274	5,258 63,242 5,612 19,820 288 180,187 33,674 41,174	

TRADE OF CANADA WITH IRELAND (EIRE).

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Total Imports Principal Imports— Horses, n.o.p. Wool and products.	\$ Vo. \$	46,575 2 486 29,776	27,097 6 8,030 8,899	Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— WheatBush. Wheat flour\$ Newsprint paperCwt. Electric apparatus\$	4,425,293 2,341,470 3,341,018 6,248 37,951 314,653 400,894 132,302	4,439,543 3,201,822 3,246,756 5,713 25,274 378,955 543,295 43,535

TRADE OF CANADA WITH ITALY.

Total Imports\$ Principal Imports— Lemons	3,425,772 168,280 578,825 1,945,185 166,120 339,028	38,351 93,343 2,247,148 176,151 333,847	Total Domestic Exports \$ Principal Exports— Wheat	2,748,408 535,979 655,962 2,948 157,459 1,022	1,745,343 423,515 299,477 1,975 128,723
Olive oil, edible	173, 883 324, 341 190, 858 173, 438 134, 712	269, 835 358, 437 189, 624 142, 697 93, 379	Wood pulp	115,193 128,971 412,693 134,483 714,000	4,794 102,696 452,885 359,115

TRADE OF CANADA WITH JAPAN.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Commodities	Calendar Years		Commodities	Calendar Years	
Commodities	1937	1938	Commodities	1937	1938
Total Imports	72,006 217,402 3,551,828 370,961 108,876 211,461 307,018 110,147 237,240 238,987 268,616 454,838 163,138 438,434 243,050 345,136 196,764 260,313 25,851,829 1,173,323 1,566,383	4,642,762 219,357 157,098 60,902 205,049 2,826,002 314,476 74,826 220,357 309,209 40,495 83,305 248,801 238,731 342,828 123,882 270,847 165,730 261,237 121,667 175,974 21,092,215	Principal Exports—Con. Herring, sea, dry salted Cwt. Salmon, dry salted Cwt. Hides and skins Cwt. Logs Mft. Planks and boards Mft. Timber, square Mft. Wood pulp Cwt. Newsprint paper Cwt. Scrap iron Ton Aluminium and products \$ Copper and products \$ Nickel and products \$ Zinc and products \$ Asbestos, raw Ton	521,330 7,239 152,993 26,077 470,658 1,323,996 3,408,674 680,130 1,542,009 93,814 364,963	162, 486 185, 820 77, 115 192, 168 20, 810 197, 281 21, 497 257, 090 5, 966 83, 253 330, 120 1, 165, 333 35, 380 98, 025 16, 222 72, 118 41, 033 519, 080 6, 019, 922 2, 206, 020 957, 149 6, 047, 749 997, 550 27, 437 1, 344, 029

TRADE OF CANADA WITH MEXICO.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

TRADE OF CANADA WITH NETHERLANDS.

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Total Imports\$	3,359,469	3,755,896	Principal Exports—Con.		
Principal Imports—			BarleyBush.	392,806	374, 267
Vegetable oils, non-	427,120	434,651	\$	282,610	146,532
edible.			BuckwheatBush.	137,822	220,017
Plants, shrubs, trees, etc. \$	513,932	475,411	\$	104,237	142,284
Seeds\$	67, 116	63,741	OatsBush.	456,830	598, 681
Tobacco, raw Lb.	13,632	67,141	\$	272,857	250,044
\$	24,692	110,840	RyeBush.	989,341	220,029
Artificial silk \$	35,711	208,945	\$	1,138,889	121,931
Binder twineCwt.	41,169	101,672	WheatBush.	3,150,129	4,523,126
\$	294,779	572,368	\$	4,133,929	3,374,658
Mixed textile products \$	170,485	150,439	Wheat flour Brl.	21,523	17,856
FertilizersCwt	498,228	737,612	\$	107, 262	73,997
\$	278,666	385,271	Pneumatic tire casings No.	52,168	24,921
Paints and varnishes \$	137,906	126,807	\$	391,622	228,869
Glycerine for explosives Lb.	265,114		Pulpwood Cord	17,134	37,382
\$	84,604		\$	168,340	386,773
			Wood pulp Cwt.	22,707	761
Total Domestic Exports \$	12,520,989	10,267,088	\$	64, 169	2,750
Principal Exports—			Copper and products \$	1,812,221	2,143,867
Apples, fresh Brl.		1,503	Nickel and products \$	2,822,865	2,565,044
\$	66,501	5,582			

TRADE OF CANADA WITH NEWFOUNDLAND.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Commodities	Calendar Years		Commodities	Calendar Years	
Commodition	1937	1938	Commodities	1937	1938
Total Imports \$ Principal Imports— Fish, fresh \$ Fish, dried Lb. Lobsters, canned Lb. Fish oils Gal. Seal oil Gal. Iron ore Ton Stone and products \$ Principal Exports \$ Principal Exports— Vegetables \$ Oats Bush	2,510,575 351,118 2,491,683 91,613 136,394 59,476 167,642 103,286 316,967 127,197 659,125 1,188,771 261,752 9,125,666 158,333 88,084 51,508	2,194,196 396,621 3,713,086 123,678 203,851 77,673 91,184 46,388 228,948 63,707 606,025 1,083,817 195,867 8,403,377 199,065 50,827 22,766	Principal Exports—Con. Wheat flour	258, 012 1, 705, 287 183, 653 334, 398 320, 067 101, 316 4, 136 202, 873 746, 876 22, 735 206, 062 156, 110 204, 414 262, 270 204, 698 72, 792 104, 431 480, 841 572, 829 256, 514	280,549 1,288,443 226,673 295,111 256,249 150,165 4,098 191,033 558,760 24,259 201,475 103,089 189,818 30,383 342,483 119,147 122,364 604,726 638,197 267,833

TRADE OF CANADA WITH NEW ZEALAND.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Total Imports Principal Imports— Hides, raw. Cwt Butter. Lb Sausage casings. \$ Wool, raw. Lb Total Domestic Exports. \$ Principal Exports— Wheat Bush Wheat flour. Bril Rubber footwear. Pair Pneumatic tire casings. No Salmon, canned. Cwt Artificial silk products. \$	1,474,663 1,456 378 1,065,516 14,207,483 4,476,244 14,689,322 119,463 179,750 1,233 6,701 449,664 481,958 168,725 1,377,147	4,561,824 52,423 785,963 2,871,373 798,117 910,786 7,516,334 1,603,812 16,370,857 99,293 111,577 408,038 398,784 165,399 1,235,032 33,514 429,081 400,301	Principal Exports—Con. Socks and stockingsDoz. pr. Planks and boardsM ft. Newsprint paperCwt. Wrapping paperCwt. Rolling mill productsTon Pipe and tubing, iron\$ Wire, iron\$ Farm implements\$ Hardware and cutlery\$ Machinery\$ Tools\$ Automobile parts\$ Copper and products\$ Electric apparatus\$ Packages\$	99,560 507,350 4,318 150,290 527,542 1,040,825 38,493 149,887 922 75,814 223,839 197,255 339,730 119,933 709,064 170,977 10,096 4,361,972 151,638 156,424 555,610 79,077	67,505 338,150 6,081 173,067 700,542 1,440,271 29,571 135,639 10,584 595,228 2,968 237,202 259,976 140,268 628,073 168,484 10,563 4,956,787 223,147 249,001 522,870 188,285
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH NORWAY.

Potal Imports \$ 759,309 733,179 Principal Imports— Sardines Box 3,773,571 3,685,765 Cod liver oil Gal. \$7,066 77,443 Iron ore Ton 8,445 74,362 Fertilizers Cwt. 44,729 40,881 59,472 59,472 54,761	Total Domestic Exports \$ 6,223,370 7,854,175 Principal Exports \$ Rye Bush 20,000 303,846 \$ 18,400 134,351 142,800 2,806,226 Wheat Bush 1,279,106 2,806,226 1,582,035 2,079,961 201,720 \$ 583,278 805,236 305,236 Rubber and manufactures \$ 142,800 97,719 Copper and products \$ 757,326 638,819 Nickel and products \$ 2,515,306 2,758,267 Precious metals \$ 139,720 153,680 Carbon electrodes \$ 204,713 165,505
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH PERU.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Commodities	Calendar Years		Commo dition	Calendar Years	
	1937	1938	Commodities	1937	1938
Total Imports\$ Principal Imports— Petroleum, crude M gal. Gasoline, natural casing-Gal. head. \$	92,858 3,420,163 17,743,112 1,147,120	3,004,743 52,693 2,055,341 17,940,698 935,727	Total Domestic Exports. \$ Principal Exports— Rubber tires. No. \$ Planks and boards. Mft. \$ Shooks. \$ Newsprint paper. Cwt. \$ Copper and products. \$	1,236,661 13,518 175,208 3,439 76,637 270,913 82,518 179,664 31,679	892,089 17,099 216,756 6,568 107,300 146,930 8,665 21,221 16,524

TRADE OF CANADA WITH PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Total Imports\$ Principal Imports— Palm nut cake	671,956 1,500 2,140 11,435	3,000 3,018 735,517 219,019 10,958	Total Domestic Exports \$ Principal Exports— Wheat flour	1,884,299 137,281 789,363 2,162 11,679 14,696	1,465,089 134,265 641,070 2,526 13,716 2,709
		10,958	8	14,696	2,709
dressed. \$ Manila fibre	90,790 65,856 493,231	53,421 17,020 89,206	Newsprint paperCwt.	$\begin{array}{c} 92,660 \\ 102,762 \\ 267,744 \end{array}$	18,105 $49,143$ $144,959$
Vegetable fibre, n.o.pCwt.	1,195 10,150		Machinery, n.o.p \$ Copper and products \$	13,847 51,924	5,116 41,054
Planks and boards \$ Iron ore	7,724	5,867 7,840	FertilizersCwt.	295,915 371,050	154,552 181,547
\$		10,220	Soda and compoundsCwt.	44,370 226,623	79,642 384,359

TRADE OF CANADA WITH POLAND AND DANZIG.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Total Imports\$ Principal Imports— Peas, n.o.pLb Cotton and products\$ Plywood\$ Furniture of wood\$ Tableware of glass\$	230,770 1,888,250 50,323 30,736 11,553 26,532 20,893	261,382 2,986,135 80,186 30,529 778 24,776 13,036	Total Domestic Exports \$ Principal Exports— Copper in ingots Cwt. Asbestos, raw Ton Stone and products \$	59,924 741,678 584 29,413 58,187	79,973 793,791 1,216 86,199 11,394
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH PORTUGAL.

Total Imports \$	369,772	272,140	Total Domestic Exports \$	270,752	135,274
Principal Imports—			Principal Exports—		
Wines, non-sparkling \$	69,761	76,624	Pneumatic tire casings No.	13, 131	8,966
Fish, canned \$	13,381	22,269	\$	170,130	101,815
Cotton and its products \$	10,376	4,031	Inner tubes No.	5,206	2,026
Flax, hemp and jute pro-			\$	6,795	2,917
ducts\$	9,354	3,384	Spoolwood	662	
Corkwood, unmanufac-			\$	27,132	
tured\$	74,462	45,510	Automobiles, passenger No.	6	5
Corks Lb.	74,682	78,847	\$	3,277	5,262
\$	31,735	31,616	Aluminium and products. \$	16,164	2,174
Cork manufactures, n.o.p. \$	144,028	54,958	Aeroplanes and parts \$	31,338	4,695

TRADE OF CANADA WITH PORTUGUESE AFRICA.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Commodities	Calendar Years		Commodities	Calendar Years	
	1937	1938	Commodities	1937	1938
Total Imports\$ Principal Imports— Tuna fish, cannedLb \$ Sisal fibre\$ Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— WheatBush \$ Wheat flour\$ \$ Br1\$	23,862 4,364 23,862 2,104,365 49,366 70,334 8,646 56,827	4,200 676 	Principal Exports—Con. Salmon, canned	4,099 32,762 17,295 436,078 1,478 28,282 77,949 41,157 212 109,727 106,048 155,300 897,247	2,931 24,592 16,484 301,557 2,708 44,320 46,319 7,288 187 113,365 68,877 76,800 443,284

TRADE OF CANADA WITH RUSSIA (U.S.S.R.)

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

Principal Imports	23, 697 7, 889 3, 730 153,050 359,198 45,413 169,643 203,461 286,598 11,818	256,284 117,631 12,971 22,792 103,384 2,123 374,782 15,454	Total Domestic Exports. \$ Principal Exports— Clover seed, alfalfaBush. Machinery\$ Aluminium in barsCwt. Carbon electrodes\$	9,476 160,123 7,840 9,274 217,574 66,676	936,961 42,643 936,926
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH SWEDEN.

(Calendar Years, 1937 and 1938)

	Total Imports \$ Principal Imports— Rolling mill products \$ Engines and boilers \$ Farm implements \$ Machinery \$ Tools \$ Annular ball bearings \$ Ball and roller bearings \$ Electric apparatus \$	2,427,178 463,035 101,622 342,614 307,276 220,504 167,102 191,471 101,560	2,114,030 361,142 62,318 292,018 241,442 202,094 153,118 173,369 98,843	Total Domestic Exports \$ Principal Exports— Wheat	2,979,369 8,547 10,941 50,060 537,337 4,992 292,854 109,094 734,368	5,411,427 756,612 638,131 67,561 598,401 4,909 269,532 408,311 2,260,223
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH SWITZERLAND.

Total Imports	40,317 266,632 72,924 217,925 46,350 167,283 65,907 245,515 61,889 93,138	488,186 44,475 284,055 73,014 240,845 40,743 127,441 74,839 196,401 166,769 66,711 205,955	Principal Imports—Con. Electric apparatus\$ Aniline dyesLb. Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— WheatBush. Pneumatic tire casingsNo PulpwoodCord Aluminium and products. Copper in rodsCwt.	4,633 41,610	386,005 466,497 505,316 735,584 123,906 89,619 8,224 85,875 6,464 74,573 20,796 28,395 300,109
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TRADE OF CANADA WITH URUGUAY.

(Calendar Years 1937 and 1938)

Commodities	Calendar Years		Commodition	Calendar Years	
	1937	1938	Commodities	1937	1938
Total Imports\$ Principal Imports— Cattle hides	184,093 2,720 44,145 2,665,139 139,948	136,530 1,422 16,954 1,904,069 112,391	Total Domestic Exports\$ Principal Exports— Whiskey Pf. gal. Newsprint paper Cwt. Farm implements\$ Sewing machines\$ Aeroplanes\$	1,203 5,196 94,959 147,777 183,612 42,225	215,830 504 2,228 26,636 63,338 86,081 13,647 30,000

TRADE OF CANADA WITH VENEZUELA.

Total Imports \$ 2,467,185 1,468,75 Principal Imports— Lb. 156,450 98.06 Coffe, green Lb. 17,129 10.64 Petroleum, crude \$ 130,212 68,74 2,449.054 1,454,52 Total Domestic Exports \$ 1,320,430 1,256,16 Principal Exports— \$ 10,433 25,07 Wheat flour Brl. 34,820 18,49 212,456 81,78	Pneumatic tire casings. No. 33,544 33, 377, 340,575 33,548 34, 33, 344, 33, 344, 33, 344, 33, 344, 34, 3
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